

Contact Information

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The Board approved this CIS by a vote of: Yea(15) Nay(0) Abstain(3) Ineligible(0) Recusal(0)

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Summary: The Greater Wilshire NC supports Councilmember Bob Blumenthal's motion to help ensure equality of Measure M Local Return funding among all fifteen (15) Council Districts. We oppose any proposal by the Mayor or City Council to use these funds to close any budget shortfalls not related to transportation issues. We urge that Measure M Local Return Funds be used to supplement city budget funding, whether it is for the repair of our streets and sidewalks (as was promised in the campaign ads for Measure M) or other important issues related to our streets and sidewalks. We believe that Neighborhood Councils should have an active role in the decisions of how these funds will be spent.



**On April 12, 2017, the Greater Wilshire Neighborhood Council voted 15 Yea, 0 Nay, and 3 Abstained on the following resolution regarding Measure M Return Funds CF 17-0166):**

Be it resolved that the Greater Wilshire Neighborhood Council opposes any proposal by the Mayor or the City Council to close part of the City's \$250 million budget gap for next year by using an estimated \$50-60 million of Local Return money from Measure M, the permanent half cent increase in our sales tax that was approved by 71% of voters in November 2016. We urge that the funds be evenly distributed between the 15 Council Districts. We urge that Measure M Local Return Funds be used to supplement city budget funding, whether it is for the repair of our streets and sidewalks (as was promised in the campaign ads for Measure M) or other important issues related to our streets and sidewalks. We believe that Neighborhood Councils should have an active role in the decisions of how these funds will be spent.

Respectfully submitted on April 21, 2017.

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